

Geneolgy

Under New Hampshire law, certain older records are open to the public, while other, more recent records are only available when the applicant has a "direct and tangible interest" in the record. The individual or an immediate member of the family may obtain a copy of a vital record in this category.

The records in the Town of Exeter are open to the public in the following categories:

BIRTH RECORDS: Prior to 1914

DEATH RECORDS: Prior to 1964

MARRIAGE RECORDS: Prior to 1964

Applying for a Certified Copy of a Vital Record

All individuals requesting a certified copy of a record ([RSA 5-C:102, VI](#)) must present positive identification including, but not limited to, a driver's license, passport or other picture identification or in the absence of acceptable picture identification shall complete the form Documentation Evidence for Individuals Not Possessing An Acceptable Picture Identification. See Supporting Documents at the bottom of the page.

In Person - You may come down to the Office of the Town Clerk, 10 Front Street, on Monday-Friday from 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. You will need to provide positive identification and complete a request form. Can't make it to Town Clerks Office by 4:00 p.m.? We also offer an online service.

By Mail - You may complete the online application by accessing the request form below and send with proper payment and a copy of your drivers license or picture ID to the Exeter Town Clerk's Office at 10 Front Street, Exeter NH 03833. A self-addressed return envelope with the appropriate postage affixed is required to process all mail requests.

On Line - Please see Pay On Line

The Town of Exeter does not have vital records dated earlier than 1848 however we do have Town Records dated to 1639. We cannot give genealogical information over the telephone. Genealogy research may be done at the [State of New Hampshire Bureau of Vital Records](#), 71 Fruit Street, Concord, NH where you can find all the records for every city and town in the State.

Supporting Documents



[Birth Certificate Request Form](#)



[Death Certificate Request Form](#)



[Marriage Certificate Request Form](#)



[Documentation Evidence for Individuals Not Possessing An Acceptable Picture Identification](#)

Web Links

[Pay On Line](#)[RSA 5-C:102, IV](#)

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